# DESTINATION

Of the British Flying Squadron Said to be Bermuda.

Considerable Surprise Caused by the Rumor at Washington.

If the Report Proves True the White Squadron May be Sent to Venezuelan Waters—Representative Livingston (Ga.) Says This Nation Must Act

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.-A Washington special says:

The report that the British squadron is on the way to Bermuda caused much surprise here, and there is talk of introducing a resolution in the house instructing the committee on foreign affairs to report on Mr. Livingston's Venezuela resolutions without more delay. No confirmation or denial of the report of the squadron's movement is obtained from authentic sources at the navy department, but belief exists that it is probably true. If it proves true to the satisfaction of the department, it is thought probable that the white squadron will be ordered to Venezuelan waters.

"I have no doubt of the accuracy of the report that that British flying squadron is headed for Bermuda," said Congressman Livingston, of Georgia, Friday. He added: "Moreover the squadron will go thence to Venezuela. I knew it the other day when I of-fered my resolution directing the president to check the British advance and to compel them to withdraw their reinforcements at their Venezuela outposts. I tried so to inform the house, but Boutelle objected. The squadron will. I understand, choke the payment of the \$7,500 damage bill out of Crespo and then offer him three or five millions in gold for the disputed territory. My information is reliable."

"How about the Venezuela constitution prohibiting the transfer of territory to another nation?"

Five millions of dollars in gold, backed up by the British squadron, are not unlikely to play — with a South American Institution."

"What are you going to do about it?" "I can do nothing until the foreign affairs committee makes its report. That done, I shall push my resolution directing the president to stop this hostile action of Great Britain, and I have 'no doubt it will go through the house like a flame through a train of

powder.
"We have got to act. This nation can not afford to permit the Venezuela question to be settled in such, to us, ignominous manner. The administration may think it all right and in conformity with the Monroe doctrine to have European nations buy land on this side of the water, but congress does not; neither do the people, as will shortly be proved to the satisfaction of everybody, on this side and on the other side of the globe, as soon as we get a chance to vote on the question.'

London, Jan. 18.-Though the admiralty refuses to either confirm or deny the statement that the new flying squadron is destined for Bermuda, it can be stated on the authority of officers attached to the squadron that they believe that if they do not go to Bermuda they will go to some point in the West Indies. They do not know the nature of the service they are going on, but in view of the dispute with Venezuela the fact of dispatching of the squadron to the West Indies causes some anxiety.

# CHICAGO HOTELS

Will Make No Arrangements for State Delegations Until After the National Com-

CHICAGO, Jan. 18 .- Managers of the big hotels respect the agreement made by the Chicago committee with the democratic national committee at Washington not to make arrangements for state delegations headquarters until the national committee has decided where it will be housed during the convention. The hotel however, are not disposed to wait a month before making contracts for state delegations and will expect the national committee to make known its choice with as little delay as possible. Manager Southgate, of the Auditorium, said on Friday that he felt certain the New York state delegation would be quartered at that hotel. Don M. Dickinson has engaged the best suite of rooms at the Richelieu, and scores of individual applications for rooms were received and acted on by the hotelkeepers dur-

ing the day. Nat Goodwin Sued for Damages.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.-John M. Maxwell, a newspaper reporter of this city, began suit Friday against the comedian, Nat Goodwin, claiming \$50,000 damages on the allegation that Goodwin's play, "Ambition," belongs to him. To make matters worse the bill filed in court alleges that after stealing the play Goodwin named the villain John M. Maxwell.

Repullican Party's Anniversary.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 .- At a meeting of the Union Republican club of this city Friday night resolutions were adopted providing for a celebration on February 20, of the 40th anniversary of the birth of the republican party and requesting republicans throughout the United States to make the day one grand universal rally.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The speaker laid before the house Friday a communication from the secretary of war recommending an appropriation of \$150, ooc for rapid fire guns. The guns requested are for arming fortifications.

#### BUCKEYE NEWS.

New and Interesting Happenings Within Our Borders.

A CONFESSED FORGER.

Manager of a Large Ciothing Firm at Youngstown, O., Disappears. Columbus, O., Jan. 18.—A special to the Press from Youngstown, O., Saturday says that Irving W. Frinkle, man ager of the largest and wealthiest clothing firm in the valley, D. Theobold & Co., has disappeared, a confessed forger to a large amount. The firm will lose not less than \$20,000 by Frinkle is the son-in-law of him. Ferdinand Ritter, the senior member of the firm. He came to Youngstown a stranger some time ago and soon began to figure as a society man. Since his marriage to the wealthy daughter of Mr. Ritter he has been gambling at a heavy rate and thus lost the firm's money. He left for Buffalo, his old home, Friday night, and before going had a conference with his father-inlaw in which he made a clean breast of the whole matter. His wife is with her father. The latter says the loss will not cripple the firm.

Two Convicts Escape From the Penitenti-

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 18 .- Frank Jones and John Mooney, two prisoners escaped from the state prison here at an early hour this morning. They were employed in the kitchen at night, and getting from under the eye of the guard for a short time they took advantage of the opportunity to use a plank and a rope to scale the wall. Jones was serving a five year sentence for robbery committed in Cleveland, and Mooney had a 12-years sentence for shooting to kill, committed in Ashtabula county.

Elliott's Sentence May Be Commuted. COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 18 .- A. J. Greene, the attorney who is managing the application of W. J. Elliott for a pardon, said that he expected that the board would recommend a commutation of the life sentence to not more than ten years. He said he felt sure that at least two members of the board would be in favor of pardon.

Portsmouth Bank Stops Payment.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 18.-A special from Portsmouth, O., says that the Farmers' national bank, of that city, stopped payment at noon Friday, by order of the controller of the currency. The only information that has been given out is that the bank was unable to realize on its securities in time to meet obligations coming due.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 18. - Chas. Cornelius, aged 45 years, living with his family at Madisonville and working as a laborer on the Richmond branch of the Pennsylvania railroad, was at work Friday on the track at the lower end of the village when an express train rushed along. He did not step far enough out of the way and was struck and killed.

A Tramp Indicted on Several Charges. COVINGTON, O., Jan. 18 .- Joseph Reily was indicted for being a tramp, entering a yard without permission and reso. This is the first case of this kind

on record in this county. A number of other indictments were also found by the grand jury.

Licked the Professor.

Pomeroy, O., Jan. 18.-Geo. Heaton. principal of the central building of Pomeroy, was assaulted Friday by Will Woods, and knocked down and his face badly cut and bruised. Prof. Heaton had punished Woods' sister, who is a pupil in the central building.

The Express Companies Appeal.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 18 .- The Adams, United States and American Express Cos. Friday appealed to the supreme court from the circuit court of this county the cases in which they resist paying the two per cent. excise tax upon their gross business.

He Won First Honors

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 18.—Charles T. Herbert, of the law department, won first honor Friday night at the Ohio State university oratorical contest. The result makes him the institution's competitor in the approaching state oratorical contest.

Died From Religious Excitement.

KENTON, O., Jan. 18 .- Mrs. Heater, a resident of Larue, was so overcome with religious excitement at a revival that her heart failed her and she fell dead at her door on her return home from the meeting.

A Shoemaker Siashes His Throat-DELPHOS. C., Jan. 18.-John Scott, a shoemaker, while in a wild state of intoxication, tried to shuffle off by slash-

ing his throat with a knife, just missing the jugular vein. He is in a bad condition. The Col. Colt Trial. CIRCLEVILLE, O., Jan. 18 .- At noon Friday another recess was taken in the

Coit case until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. It is doubtful if a verdiet will be reached before week after next. Local Option Bill COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 18.-A resolution by Mr. Harris was adopted by the

house Friday providing for the printing of 1,500 extra copies of the loal option bill. Died From the Effects of a Fall. ELYRIA, O., Jan. 18.-Mrs. W. D.

Robinson, a highly respected resident of this city, died here Friday from the effects of a fall on a ley walk, Jan-

Church Destroyed by Fire. St. Many's, O., Jan. 18.—Oak Grove church, three miles east of here, was completely destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$1,500.

# THE REPORT

Of Secretary Carlisle's Immigration Investigation Committee.

It Treats of Migratory Laborers, Especially Those From Canada.

New York, Jan. 18 .- The report of the immigration investigation commission, appointed by Secretary Car-lisle June 13, 1894, has been just published. The report gives a concise history of immigration and immigration legislation, explains European immigration conditions, treats at considerable length the padrone system and of migratory laborers, especially those from Canada. The report also treats on the alleged defects of the present immigration laws, and recommends certain remedial measures.

The chapters on the padrone system and Canadian migratory laborers, reveal a bad condition of things. The padrone system, it seems, has almost died out, but the shifting about the country by the padrone of large bodies of Italian workmen already here is common, and this is as serious to our native workmen as direct importation. The report continues:

"The Canadian migratory laborers have for many years been going and coming across the border to the detriment of the wages and standard of living of the American laborers. At least 100,000 persons," says the report, come into the United States annually from these sections, fully 50 per cent. of whom return to their homes at the end of the work-ing season or when they have accumulated a certain amount of money. This 100,000, be it understood, does not include those who come daily into the cities of Buffalo, Detroit and other border towns and cities on the great lakes. In some cities and towns, notably Detroit and Buffalo, they send their laundry over the border, and those who come and go daily bring their dinners with them. Some even make it a boast that they do not spend a penny in the states.

tection against these Canadian invaders and can not understand why congress does not readily grant it."

In conclusion the report says: "Certain classes in the community have demanded the complete abolition of immigration because of abuses of the naturalization laws in conferring the right of franchise upon newarrived immigrants, religious race antagonisms or because the discouragement induced by the recent financial depression. But it is a remarkable fact that notwithstanding the financial crisis and the widespread agitation against immigration, a large number of the governors of states have emphasised a desire for immigrants."

made with such changes in the pres-ent immigration statutes as the commissioners deem necessary.

# SPEAKS AT LAST.

of His Engagement to Mrs. Dimmics. NEW YORK, Jan. 18 .- Ex-President Harrison Friday night formally announced his engagement to Mrs. Dimmick at the Fifth Avenue hotel.

men and others about the hotel shortly before 9 o'clock when Secretary Tibbitts appeared and handed them the

"Gen. Harrison authorizes the announcement that he and Mrs. Dimmick are engaged to be married and that the marriage will not take place until

cuss the announcement and, although the ex-president was upstairs in his

Mrs. Dimmick's full name is Caroline Lord Dimmick. She is the daughter of the late Mrs. Lord, the oldest sister of Gen. Harrison's first wife. She is the widow of a naval officer. After her husband's death she lived for some time with her mother in Pittsburgh. Mr. Lord died during the time that Gen. Harrison was president. Mrs. Harrison thereupon sent for her favorite niece and namesake to come to the white house and made the young widow her private secretary. the Adirondacks cottage and in the white house, Mrs. Dimmick was her

faithful and devoted nurse.

Sites for Military Posts and Defenses. WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 .- A board of army officers has been appointed to meet at Seattle, Wash., for the purpose of making a thorough examination of all the sites for a military post and defenses, proposed by the citizens of Seattle, Wash., to be donated to the

Also of the Alleged Defects of the Present Immigration Laws—Suggestions Made —A Concise History of Immigration and Immigration Legislation.

"The American workingmen ask pro-

A large number of suggestions are

Gen. Harrison Makes Public the Old News

There was a crowd of newspaper following:

Col. Tibbitts refused to further disroom at the time, he denied himself to all newspaper men.

Burglar Entrapped by a Little Girl. Sr. Louis, Jan. 18 .- Octavius Spaulding, a burly Negro, was given a long workhouse sentence in court Friday for trespass. At midnight Wednesday Dollie Cune, aged 13, living with her widowed mother at 115 South Sixth street, heard a noise in the basement of valuables, Spaulding thought she was a ghost and started for a window, which was fastened. Dollie opened a door and told the intruder to get out. Spaulding went through the door and Dolly slammed it shut and locked it. The burglar was entrapped in a closet and at daylight was arrested.

#### GEN. CAMPOS RESIGNS. His Successors Are Gens. Marin and

HAVANA, Jan. 18 .- A meeting of generals was held Friday evening at the palace of the captain-general, at which Marshal Campos announced that he had cabled to the government at Madrid, stating the result of his conference with the leaders of the political parties and signifying his intention to abide loyally by any decision that the cabinet might make in the matter. To this dispatch he said that he had already received a reply advising him in view of the conditions existing to turn over the civil and military government of the island to Gens. Marin and Pando. This he had done so far as was possible, Gen. Pando being in Santiago de Cuba. Gen. Marin had taken over the government temporarily and his responsibility would be shared by Gen. Pando shortly. The news that Marshal Campos had practically been relieved of his command caused little excitement

#### AWAITING ORDERS.

The North Atlantic Equadron at Hampton Roads, Va.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—There is some

talk around the navy department of the necessity for calling back to America the commerce destroyer Minneapolis and the cruiser San Francisco, leaving the cruiser Marblehead to attend to the interests of American missionaries in the sultan's possessions. Nothing official in this matter can be obtained. Meanwhile the North Atlantic squadron of evolution, under Rear Admiral Bunce, U. S. N., is lying at Hampton Roads, Va., awaiting orders to practice some evolutions. The squadron is growing to quite a formidable size, and in addition to the New York, Raleigh and Maine, may be said to contain the battleship Indiana, which, while not formally attached to it, is lying in Hampton Roads, and the battleship Texas will be repaired at Norfolk without delay if it be within the power of repairers to set that unlucky ship on its sea legs.

### MASKED BURGLARS.

They Murder an Aged Couple for the Pur-

pose of Robbery.
Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 18.—News of a horrible double murder for robbery was received Friday in a letter from Flynn's Lick, Jackson county. Five masked men entered the house of Jos. Day, an old farmer who lived near that place, and demanded to know the hiding place of the treasure which he was reputed to have in the house. He refused to tell, and after numerous threats had been made he was taken out and hanged to a tree. The murderers then attempted to force Mrs. Day to tell the secret, and when she persistently refused the murderers beat her brains out with a club. They ransacked the house, but failed to find the money. There have been no arrests so far.

# AFTER NICKEL.

The German Government Cables to Canada

TORONTO, Jan. 18.-The German government has cabled a firm here asking them to quote the price for 200 tons of nickel matter. The material is used in several weeks. largely in the construction of armament for war vessels and is said to constitute the very best metal for such a purpose. About three per cent, only of pure nickel is mixed with steel in the preparation of an armor plate. At the present time there is but one nickel mine in operation in this countryburn the quantity mentioned in the cable message.

# Loyal to Her Dead Lover.

OMAHA, Neb. Jan. 18 .- A coroner's jury has rendered a verdict of suicide in the case of Miss Royster, the Boone county girl whose father killed Banker McFarland in that town recently. The girl left several letters. In one she stated that she had determined to kill herself because her relatives wanted her to swear that McFarland had intended to kill her father, and thus save him going to the gallows. She reiterated that she loved McFarland and would not besmirch his memory even to save her father.

The Westinghouse Strike. PITTSBURGH, Jan. 18 .- According to the statement of men who have been working there the entire plant of the Westinghouse Manufacturing Co. at East Pittsburgh is closed and fully 2,000 employes are idle. The strike is During Mrs. Harrison's illness, both at the result of a wage reduction of 25 per cent, and according to the strikers, is unwarranted. There is no general organization among the workers, and a meeting was held Saturday night. The situation is not regarded as serious.

Indianapolis Sank Wants Part of the Loan. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 18 .- Volney Malott, president of the Indiana National bank, said Saturday that his bank would take \$500,000 of the new and found Spaulding packing up a lot government bond issue, and that inquiries representing millions were coming in from all parts of the state. Other Indianapolis banks will probably follow with large subscriptions to the loan.

# The Referee thosen

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 18.-Geo. Siler, sporting editor of the Chicago Tribune. has been chosen referee of the Fitzsimmons-Maher fight, and James Lawler, of Houston, final stakeholder.

An Examiner Takes Charge of the Bank WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 - Acting Controller Tucker Saturday directed W. E. Boden, national bank examiner, to

take charge of the failed Farmers' na-

tional bank at Portsmouth. O.

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# A CAMPAIGN

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For Injuries to American Property and for Future Protection of Americans in Her Domain-No Foreign Power Will In-terfere With This Programme.

New York, Jan. 18 .- A dispatch to the World from Boston says: A naval officer, who has just returned from Washington said: "There is absolutely reliable authority for the statement that the administration has prepared a plan of campaign against Turkey to force the gov-ernment of that country to comply with the demands of the United States for indemnity for injuries to American property and for the future protection of American citizens within her domain. The authorities do not deny this statement, though they have not hesitated to say that no orders whatever have been issued to the vessels of the navy for carrying this order

into effect. "Upon excellent authority it is stated that the department of state has recently entered into correspond-ence with the foreign powers and that none of them will interfere.

"The plan, as I understand it, contemplates a naval demonstration against Turkey and perhaps the occupation of one of its cities. It has in view the concentration of practically the entire United States navy, in Turkish waters. The real reason why Rear Admiral Bunce's fleet has been held at Hamp-Bunce's fleet has been held at Hamp-ton Roads, instead of sailing about Christmas time, as was the original intention, is because the authorities have considered the dispatching of the fleet to Turkish waters. The Asiatic squadron has also been considered, and there are some officers at Washington who believe that it is now on the way to the Mediterranean, as the Asiatic station, usually so prolific in

"The Newark, in South Atlantic waters, was also talked of. The United States would be able to make an imposing demonstration against the Turkish government, for the Turkish navy could not act effectively against it. It is antiquated and could easily be blown off the seas by the United States vessels. It the Copper Cliff at Sudbury, Ont. Four is certain that some decisive stroke months will be required to mine and is being considered. In any event, however, there are good reasons for believing that the department will increase the European squadron by the New York and probably two other vessels. The transfer of Adm. Bunce's flag to the Maine is regarded in this

#### connection as significant." FOR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Ex-City Atterney Moreland and Assistant Held for Trial at Pittsburgh

errsnungh, Pa., Jan. 18.-Friday night County Detective Rusinson appeared before Alderman Black, of the Thirty-first ward, and swore out informations charging Ex-City Attorney Moreland and his assistant, W. H. House, with the embezzlement of 89,-652.74 of city money collected by them during the 14 days just prior to their removal from the city attorney's office. Warrants were issued for their arrest. Early Saturday morning counsel for Moreland and House notified District Attorney Haymaker that the ex-city officials would surrender and the warrants were not served. About noon Messrs. Moreland and House appeared at District Attorney Haymaker's office and gave bail, each for \$10,000 and jointly for \$10,000 more, for their appearance at court.

Rumor is current that for a time during Friday night Maj. Moreland was dangerously ill, and that the serve ices of two physicians were required to bring him through a nervous col-Saturday morning, however, Maj. Moreland seemed in usual health.

A Conference of Naval Officers. NEW YORK, Jan. 18.-A Times special from Newport, R. L. says: There was a conference of naval officers at the Naval War college Friday. There were present Capt. H. C. Taylor, president of the War college: Commanders Converse, Gridley, Dayton and Mead. The purpose of the meeting was kept a secret, but as three of the officers present are in charge of light house districts along the great lakes, it is believed that the conference related to the development of a plan for the coast defense and general fortification of lake shores. The conference continned Saturday.

### Arrival and Departure of Trains.

B. & O. S.W.

DEPART—6:00 a. m., 10:46 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:55 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 11:25 p. m.,

ARRIVE—8:05 a. m., 8:15 a. m. 12:25, p. m., 4:35 p. m., 6:40, p. m., 6:55 p. m.

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NORTH ... 11:15 p. m; 3:40, 7:25 a. m.

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Clothing

Prayers Against the Prize Fight. EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 18 .- The city ministers union has sent circular letters to all religious papers in the United States calling on pastors of evangelical churenes and Christian Endeavor societies to unite in prayer Sunday, January 26th next, that God may prevent the fistic carnival from coming

off and save El Paso from disgrace. Ex-Minister Floquet Dead. Pants, Jan. 18.-M. Charles Floquet, formerly president of the council of ministers, minister of the interior and president of the chamber of deputies, died at noon Saturday. All of the members of the present ministry vis-

ited him before he died. Chinese Government Loan. PERIN, Jan. 18 .- The Deutsch Ostasiatische bank and the Hong Kong and Shanghai banking corporation have secured the contract to issue a five per cent, Chinese government loan of 100,-000,000 tuels, to cost 8014. The loan is to be issued at 95.

Home on a Vacation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18 .- Hon. J. H. Mulligan, United States consul general at Apia, Samoa, who arrived on the steamer Mariposa, is bound for his home at Lexington, Ky., where he will spend a few week's vacation, at the conclusion of which he expects to return to his post.

To Prevent "Bucket Shopping." NEW YORK, Jan. 18 .- In order to prevent "bucket shopping," the directors of the Consolidated exchange have amended the general rules so as to require every member to report full details to his customer of any transaction which the broker has been em-

ployed to make.

Redwine May Be Pardoned. COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 18.-Word has been received here that Lewis Redwine, defaulting cashier of the Gate City national bank, of Atlanta, who is serving a six years' sentence at the penitentiary here, will be pardoned by President Cleveland because of failing

Going to West Indian Waters.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 .- Official information has been received by the Washington government of the report that the British flying squadron is destined for West Indian waters. This much and no more is given out from official